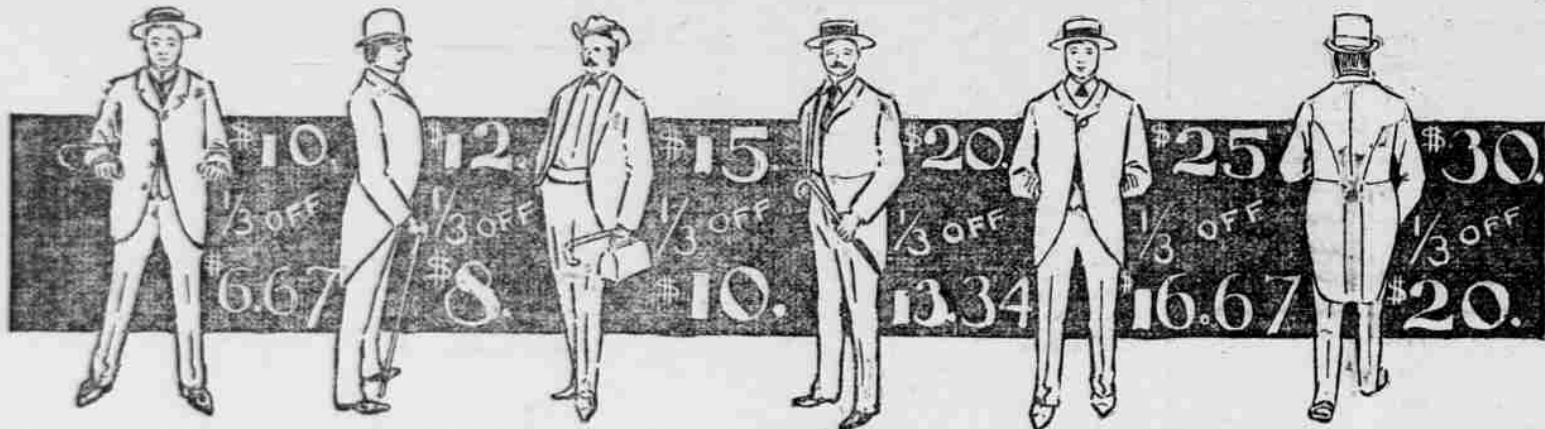


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HIS PEOPLE DEFRAUDED

Mr. Murray Denounces the South Carolina Election Laws.

Reversal of Judge Goff's Decision Seems as if Federal Judges Wanted to Disfranchise the Negro.

Before a meeting of colored citizens last evening at Metropolitan Baptist Church on R street, near Twelfth northwest, Hon. George W. Murray, Congressman-elect from South Carolina, delivered an able address on negro suffrage, strongly denouncing the registration laws and the general condition of affairs in South Carolina.

The meeting was quite largely attended, and was arranged by leading colored citizens of the District of Columbia. Among those who were present were Rev. R. R. Shippen, Dr. C. V. Purvis, Rev. Mr. Credit, Rev. Robert Johnson, Rev. E. J. Johnson, Mr. William McKinley, Mr. George W. Cromwell, Dr. G. D. Williams, Rev. Walter I. Brooks, Rev. J. Anderson Taylor, and Rev. I. V. Bryant. Rev. Mr. Grimes acted as chairman, and introduced the speaker.

Mr. Murray reviewed at length the history of South Carolina's registration and election laws since the war and claimed that those now prevailing were enacted with the avowed purpose of disfranchising the colored voters. The reversal of Judge Goff's decision, he said, seemed as if federal judges had entered into a conspiracy with the federal courts to deprive the colored citizens of their liberty.

The federal constitution, he contended, guaranteed equal freedom to all citizens and South Carolina, as a condition precedent to readmission to the Union, had guaranteed in 1868 that the colored people. At this time, he said, a small white Democratic clique in control of the government of South Carolina, has conspired to strike down the constitution, by which the State regained its national status, by such brutal and un-

constitutional methods as cannot be resisted except by revolution. He denounced the registration laws of 1882 as intended expressly to disfranchise the colored people, and explained the manner in which this was accomplished. Judge Goff after a careful investigation of these laws declared them to be unconstitutional and barbarous.

"I believe that every man in South Carolina," continued Mr. Murray, "felt that this was a righteous decision, and we feel that the reversal of the decision was a grievous wrong that never would have been committed by the court at Richmond had it opened its judicial windows sufficiently to see the serpents of fraud and despotism concealed within its jurisdiction. The question is being asked all over the South, in the name of God have the federal judges entered into the conspiracy with the local courts and administrations to deprive us of liberty?"

ALEXANDRIA HAPPENINGS

Hon. Lewis McKenzie, one of the leading citizens of Alexandria, died yesterday evening, after a short illness, of kidney disease. Mr. McKenzie was a native of Alexandria, having been born here in 1810. He served three terms in the State legislature, and at the outbreak of the late war was mayor of the city. He was a member of the forty-seventh Congress, and postmaster of Alexandria during the administration of Gen. Garfield. He was the leader of the Republican party in this section of the State, but of late years has not mingled much in public life.

Aaron Jackson, a colored man living on the northern edge of the city, near the station, is held by the police on a charge of having burglarized the store of J. H. Lee, at the corner of Queen and Pitt streets, on Wednesday night last. His mother, named John Williams and Samuel and boys, named John Williams and Samuel, are also held for connection with the crime.

A determined effort is to be made to induce the incoming city council to put in some sort of an electric fire alarm signal in place of the antiquated telephone system, which does not work half the time. Occochee Tribe of Red Men have elected the following officers: Prophet, Abbot Mollins; sachem, George R. senior; sagamore, W. A. Richardson; junior sagamore, C. C. Wells, jr.; chief of records, Charles Nagle; collector of wampum, Samuel Cuvillier, jr.; keeper of wampum, George W. Dix.

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Bonolene Soap, long bars.....	4c	Brown Soap, long bars.....	4c	Bread Soda, per pound.....	4c
Rising Sun Stove Polish.....	4c	Scapine, pkg.....	4c	Bottled Jamaica Ginger.....	4c
Emmett's Stove Polish.....	4c	Pearline, pkg.....	4c	Rice, large grain, per pound.....	4c
Ironing Stove Polish.....	4c	English Pearl Soap.....	4c	Dried Beans, lb.....	4c
Small Oil Sardines, can.....	4c	Brook's Crystal Soap.....	4c	J. B. Baking Powder, 1-lb. tin.....	4c
Large Lump Starch.....	4c	Bon Ami.....	4c	Small Lemon Extract.....	4c
Star Soap, cake.....	4c	Ginger Snaps, per pound.....	4c	Small Vanilla.....	4c
Rose Leaf Soap.....	4c	Soda Crackers, per pound.....	4c		

Reduced To-day.

Best Fresh Eggs, doz.....	13c	5-lb pails Cottolene.....	44c	5-lb pails Armour's Vegetables.....	40c
Criterion Brand Cal. Canned Apricots.....	13c	Imported Sardines, large, with key.....	15c	5-lb pails Lard.....	48c
Queen's Anderson Jam.....	13c	Pretzels.....	15c	5-lb pails Silver Leaf Lard.....	48c
California Apricots.....	13c	Sirloin Steak.....	15c	Fancy Mixed Tea.....	50c
California Plums.....	13c	California Peaches.....	15c	Choice Orange Tea.....	60c
White Wine Vinegar.....	13c	Horseshoe Cheating Tobacco, lb.....	60c	Choice Gumpowder Tea.....	60c
Evaporated Cream, can.....	14c	Star Cheating Tobacco, lb.....	60c	Extra Choice Orange Tea.....	80c
Best Butter, lb.....	14c	Boss Cheating Tobacco, 3-ply, lb.....	60c	Extra Choice Gumpowder Tea.....	80c
J. B. Baking Powder, 1-lb. tin.....	14c	Bay Steamer Cheating Tobacco, lb.....	60c	Apple Butter, lb.....	50c
Blue Hen Matches, dozen.....	15c	Gravelly 3-ply Cheating Tobacco.....	60c	Rolling Baking Powder, 1 lb.....	40c
Ground Coffee, per lb.....	15c	Nosey Twist Cheating Tobacco.....	35c	Cleveland Baking Powder, 1 lb.....	40c
Webb's Cocoa, per tin.....	15c	P. H. Hains' Best Cheating Tobacco.....	40c	5-lb pails Creamed Lard.....	40c
Engle Brand Condensed Milk.....	15c	Broncho Cheating Tobacco.....	35c	Box 50 Good Cigars.....	60c
Smoked Herring, box.....	15c				

5 Cents Now.

Strawberry Preserves, lb.....	5c	Lima Beans, per can.....	5c	Papain Cut Plug Tobacco.....	5c
Current Jelly, lb.....	5c	Picnic Size Baked Beans.....	5c	Globe Fine Cut Tobacco.....	5c
Cherry Preserves, lb.....	5c	Hunter's Mustard Dressing (large).....	5c	Greenback Smoking Tobacco.....	5c
Danison Preserves, lb.....	5c	Water Lily Soap (large size).....	5c	Durham Smoking Tobacco.....	5c
Tapioca, loose, lb.....	5c	Pint Bottles Catsup.....	5c	Our World Cigars.....	5c
Large Whole Nutmegs, 8 for.....	5c	1-lb. pails Cottolene, each.....	5c	Ammonia, large bottles.....	5c
Corn Starch, package.....	5c	Celery Salt, bottle.....	5c	Quince Preserves, lb.....	5c
Pickles, 1-lb. bottles.....	5c	Alabaster Starch, pkg.....	5c	Raspberry Preserves, lb.....	5c
Large Pint Bottles Blue.....	5c	Root Beer, per bottle.....	5c	French Preserves, lb.....	5c
Blue, in boxes, each.....	5c	Pride of Egypt Cigars.....	5c	Apple Butter, lb.....	5c
Large Can Tomatoes, best quality.....	5c	Edwin Booth Cigars.....	5c	Raisins, California.....	5c
Large Can Corn, per can.....	5c	Mirabella Cigars.....	5c	New Dates.....	5c
Canned Peas, per can.....	5c	Scott's Snuff, per box.....	5c	Turkish Prunes.....	5c
String Beans, per can.....	5c	Fashion Fine Cut, package.....	5c	Canned Succotash, can.....	5c

Flour Down Again.

Potted Ham, small.....	6c	Johnston's 6-oz. Yeast Powder.....	4c	1-lb. Royal Family.....	\$1.15
Lease Lard, lb.....	6c	Maryland Peaches, per can.....	4c	1-lb. Royal Family.....	60c
Animal Crackers.....	6c	Large 3-lb. Can Baked Beans.....	4c	Lily Best Patent Flour, 5-lb. tin.....	\$2.00
Nic-Nacs, per pound.....	6c	Canned Oysters, per can.....	4c	1-lb. Lily Best Patent.....	\$1.40
Raisins, imported.....	6c	El Petrijo's food, package.....	4c	1-lb. Lily Best Patent Flour.....	70c
Raisins, Sultanias.....	6c	Mother's Baked Beans, can.....	4c	1-lb. Lily Best Patent Flour.....	40c
Salmon, tail cans.....	6c	Fine Gumpowder Tea.....	35c	Electric Light Best Family Flour, 5-lb. tin.....	\$4.50
Large French Prunes.....	6c	Spring Leaf Tea.....	35c	1-lb. Electric Light Flour.....	\$1.20
Petrijohn's Baked Food.....	6c	Fine Oolong Tea.....	35c	1-lb. Electric Light Flour.....	65c
American Coffee.....	6c	Old Government Java Coffee.....	35c	1-lb. Electric Light Flour.....	35c
Rumford's 6-oz. Yeast Powder.....	6c	Wild Cherry Beverage, per large bottle.....	4c	1-lb. Electric Light Flour.....	15c

20 Cents All Day Saturday.

Gumpowder Tea, per lb.....	20c	Large cans Sealed Mackerel.....	20c	Royal Salad Dressing, bottle.....	20c
Johnston Breakfast Coffee.....	20c	Culbarn's Salad Dressing.....	20c	Campbell's Beefsteak Catsup, qt. size.....	20c
Stimp, per gallon.....	20c	Royal Baking Powder, 1-2 lb.....	20c	Pound packages Dunham's Cocoa.....	20c
Molasses, per gallon.....	20c	Cleveland Baking Powder, 1-2 lb.....	20c	Choice Kio.....	20c
2-pound Cans Beef.....	20c	Wild Cherry Beverage, per large bottle.....	20c		

Best Mixed Tea, 50 Cents Pound.

Machine Oil, per bottle.....	2c	The Saturday Night Cigars, each.....	3c	1-lb. cans Fairbank's Chipped Beef.....	25c
Coffee Essence, per box.....	2c	Bixby's Small Blacking.....	3c	6-oz. Brooms.....	25c
Large Size Buns, Salt.....	2c	Babitt's Soap.....	4c	General Brooms.....	25c
Soap Powder.....	2c	Raisins, seedless.....	4c	3-lb. pails Catsup.....	25c
Fat Smoked Boaters, each.....	2c	Macaroni, per package.....	2c	3-lb. pails Lard.....	25c
Hotting, each.....	2c	Potted Tongue, small.....	1c	1-lb. Royal Family Flour.....	30c
Coarse Hominy.....	2c	Home-made Egg Noodles (large).....	1c	1-lb. Royal Family Flour.....	30c
Our Selter Cigars, each.....	2c	Loberst, tail cans.....	1c	large.....	30c
Glut Edge Soap (6c size), each.....	2c	Wilbur's Chocolate, cake.....	1c	Holland Java and Mocha Coffee.....	30c
Small Durham Mustard (boxes).....	2c	Porterhouse Steak.....	1c	Java and Mocha Coffee.....	30c
Small Glasses Mustard.....	2c	Wilbur's Cocoa, per tin.....	1c		

Saturday's 8-Cent Bargains.

Ladies' Royal Shoe Polish.....	8c	Ground Pepper, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Olive, in glass jars.....	8c
Yellow Mustard, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Yellow Mustard, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Large Lemon Extract.....	8c
Red Seal Lye, can.....	8c	Ground Cinnamon, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Candle, No. 8, per set.....	8c
Molasses, powdered, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Ground Mace, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Quart Bottles Catsup.....	8c
Ground Cloves, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Whole Mace, 1-4 lb.....	8c	New Eggs, per lb.....	8c
Ground Allspice, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Ground Cayenne Pepper, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Large Bottles Lard.....	8c
Saltpepper, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Whole Pepper, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Yucca Bros. Cigars.....	8c
Cream Tartar, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Macaroni, per package.....	8c	General Arthur Cigars.....	8c
Celery Seed, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Fruit Pudding (all flavors).....	8c	Good Steak.....	8c
Ground Ginger, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Hick's Sauce.....	8c	Heavy Clothes Lines (100 feet).....	8c
Caraway Seed, 1-4 lb.....	8c	J. B. Baking Powder, 1-2 lb. tin.....	8c	Sapallo, large.....	8c
Whole Allspice, 1-4 lb.....	8c	Cleveland 10c size.....	8c		

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Labrador Herring, dozen.....	10c	New Pineapple.....	10c	Lantern Jars Mustard.....	10c
N. Y. Cream Biscuits.....	10c	Large Silver Prunes.....	10c	Large Bottles Catsup.....	10c
Lemon Cakes.....	10c	Cal. Evap. Apricots.....	10c	Home-made Egg Noodles (small).....	10c
Milk Lunch Biscuits.....	10c	Cal. Evap. Tangerines.....	10c	General Arthur (large) Cigars.....	10c
Mixed Nuts, best.....	10c	Cottage Ham, all lean, lb.....	10c	Old Dominion (large) Tobacco.....	10c
Cal. Evap. Apples.....	10c	Cherry.....	10c	Bolt White Tobacco.....	10c
Cal. Evap. Pears.....	10c	Best Cream Cheese, lb.....	10c	Gravelly Best Tobacco.....	10c
Cal. Evap. Apples.....	10c	Lantern Jars Sirup, pints.....	10c	Breakfast Bacon, lb.....	10c

Tanglefoot Fly Paper, 2 Cents Double Sheet.

Imported Sardines, small, key.....	12c	Mixed Rifle Nuts.....	12c	Rib Roast of Beef, per lb.....	12c
Steak Salmon, large flat cans.....	12c	Saltine Wafers.....	12c	Round Steak.....	12c
Flat cans Baked Mackerel.....	12c	Fruit Crackers (Sultanas) per lb.....	12c	Sack Corn Meal (Squirrel Brand).....	12c
Baltimore Sugar-cured Hams, lb.....	12c	Graham Wafers, per pound.....	12c	Plymouth Rock (both colors).....	12c
Bacon Strips.....	12c	Vanilla Wafers, per pound.....	12c	Olive Oil (large).....	12c
Society Wafers.....	12c	Egg Biscuits, per pound.....	12c	Cooking Butter.....	12c
Vanilla Cakes.....	12c	Wintergreen Candy.....	12c	Campbell's Beefsteak Catsup, pt. size.....	12c
Sugar Jumbles.....	12c	Canned Corned Beef, sliced.....	12c	Cal. Pitted Evaporated Peas, lb.....	12c
Honey Jumbles.....	12c				

Pint Bottle Witch Hazel, 15 Cents.

Arbuside Coffee.....	22c	Columbia Soups—Chicken, Julienne, Tomato, Consommé.....	22c	Danbar's Barataria Shrimps, large.....	25c
Olive Oil (impure).....	22c	Large cans, each.....	22c	Potato Chips.....	25c
Lea & Perrin's Worcestershire Sauce.....	22c	Durkee's Salad Dressing, bottle.....	22c	Java Flavored Coffee.....	25c
Canned Tomato Soup (large can).....	22c	Best Elgin Butter, lb.....	22c	New Orleans Baking Molasses.....	25c
Canned Chicken Soup (large can).....	22c			Mustard, per gallon.....	25c

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Elgin Star Condensed Milk, can.....	7c	Western Shoulder.....	7c	Tapioca, per package.....	7c
Large Fat Mackerel, per lb.....	7c	Mixed Candy, per lb.....	7c	Farina, pound package.....	7c
Vinegar, per gallon.....	7c	Ivory (Elephant Head) Starch.....	7c	Olive Oil (small).....	7c
Bixby's Large Blacking.....	7c	Diamond Starch (needs no blue).....	7c	Maryland Pie Peaches.....	7c
Large Mustard Blacking.....	7c	2-lb. packages Best Oats.....	7c	Early June Peas.....	7c
Sugar-cured Shoulders, lb.....	7c	Sago, per package.....	7c	Stick Candy, all flavors.....	7c
Pat Back, for seasoning.....	7c				

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